



RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 1600

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: TOVEY, Michael

Art Unit: 1614

Application No.: 09/243,030

Examiner: R. Cook

Filed: February 3, 1999

Washington, D.C.

For: THERAPEUTIC APPLICATIONS OF HIGH DOSE INTERFERON

Atty.'s Docket: Tovey=1A

Date: March 23, 2005

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Amendment
401 Dulany Street
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a [XX] Amendment [XX] Request for Continued Examination in the above-identified application.

Small Entity Status: Applicant(s) claim small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

Request for Continued Examination Fee \$790.00 _____

Suspension of action fee \$130.00 _____

(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)		(Col. 3)	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA EQUALS	
TOTAL	* 36	MINUS	** 51	0	
INDEP.	* 3	MINUS	*** 3	0	

SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 25	\$	x 50	\$
x 100	\$	x 200	\$
+ 180	\$	+ 360	\$
TOTAL FEE		TOTAL	

- * If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.
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Conditional Petition for Extension of Time
If any extension of time for a response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.

It is hereby petitioned for an extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 CFR 1.17 is calculated as shown below:

Small Entity
Response Filed Within

Other Than Small Entity
Response Filed Within

[XX]	First	-	\$ 120,000
[]	Second	-	\$ 450,000
[]	Third	-	\$ 1020,000
[]	Fourth	-	\$ 1590,000

Month After Time Period Set

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